

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on this date February 25, 1998 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label No. EM342694712US to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

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APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 is the patent application of:

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for:

1. Type of Application

☒ Original    ☐ Continuation    ☐ Divisional  
☐ Continuation-In-Part

2. Benefit of Prior Foreign Application(s) (35 U.S.C. § 119)

☐ The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of  
☐ prior foreign application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed  
on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ (country); or  
☐ PCT international application designating at least one  
country other than the U.S. application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_,  
filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

A certified copy is ☐ enclosed or ☐ on file in the prior application.

3. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. § 120)

☐ The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of  
prior copending U.S. application(s): Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_,  
filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

4. Papers Enclosed Which Are Required for Filing Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

[45]	page(s) of Specification
[15]	page(s) of Claims, having <u>59</u> claims, including <u>5</u> independent and <u>54</u> dependent claims
[ 1]	page(s) of Abstract
[15]	sheet(s) of [ ] formal [X] informal Drawings

5. Additional Papers Enclosed

[ ] Preliminary Amendment  
 [X] Information Disclosure Statement  
 [X] Form PTO-1449  
 [X] Copies of Cited Art  
 [ ] Other \_\_\_\_\_

6. Declaration

A declaration is [X] enclosed [ ] not enclosed.

7. Assignment

[X] Enclosed are a recordation form and an assignment of the invention to Metaserver, a corporation of the State of Delaware.

8. Small Entity Status

[X] A verified statement claiming small entity status:  
 [X] is enclosed.  
 [ ] as filed in prior application \_\_\_\_\_ and such status is still proper and desired.

9. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	Number Filed		Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee \$790.00
Total Claims	[59]	-20	39	\$22.00	\$858.00
Independent claims	[5]	-3	2	\$82.00	\$164.00
Multiple Dependent claims, if any:				\$270.00	-0-
Total					\$1812.00
Reduction for small entity by 50%					\$906.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$906.00

10. Method of Payment of Fees

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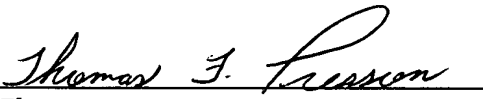
11. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, and 1.18, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 23-1665.

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